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NO MORE MR. NICE GUY!

Trump warns Tehran, posts picture with gun

Issuing a warning to Iran, US President Donald Trump posted on Truth Social, "Iran can't get their act together. They don't know how to sign a non-nuclear deal. They better get smart soon!" Trump also posted a picture of himself holding an assault rifle and the slogan 'No more Mr Nice Guy'. He stated that the United States will take a tougher stance if a diplomatic resolution regarding its nuclear programme is not reached soon. **P14**

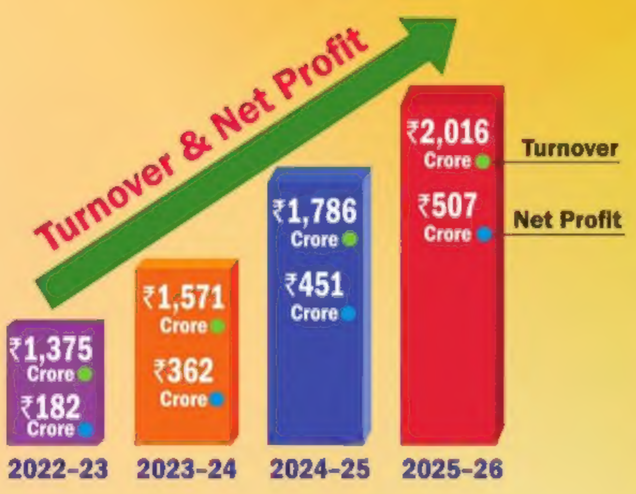
Shri Siddaramaiah
Hon'ble Chief Minister
Government of Karnataka

Karnataka Soaps & Detergents Ltd.
(Since 1916)

Shri D. K. Shivakumar
Hon'ble Deputy Chief Minister
Government of Karnataka

A Timeless Fragrance, A New Era of Performance

Karnataka Soaps & Detergents Ltd. has achieved strong growth over the past three years, setting new benchmarks in production, sales, and profits. With its iconic Mysore Sandal products and expanding market presence, the company continues to strengthen customer trust and ensure sustained progress through effective leadership and strategic planning.



Shri M.B. Patil, Hon'ble Minister for Large & Medium Industries and Infrastructure Development, and Shri Appaji C.S. Nadagouda, Hon'ble MLA & Chairman, KS&DL, presenting Mysore Sandal products to Hon'ble Chief Minister Shri Siddaramaiah

KS&DL achieves an all-time record in 2025–26

- **₹2,016 Crore** Turnover
- **₹507 Crore** Net Profit
- **₹150 Crore** Dividend to the govt.
  A significant leap from 21st to 1st in dividend contribution to the Govt.
- **47,494 MT** Production
- **57 New Products**
- **Increase in Exports**
- **Organising the 'Mysore Sandal Soap Mela' across the state**
- **Sandalwood cultivation expansion**
  700+ Farmers, 3,800+ Acres

From ₹1,000 crore in 105 years to ₹2,000 crore in just FOUR years
KS&DL's growth story redefined

KSDL Profit Growth: 35% CAGR over the past 5 years

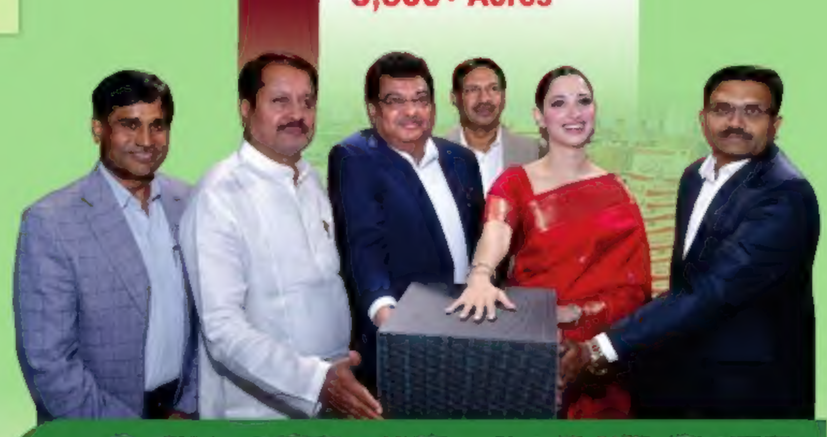
The historic achievement in production, turnover and profit has been realised by enhancing efficiency without adding new machinery or increasing the workforce.

New targets set by Hon'ble Minister Shri M.B. Patil

Reaching a turnover of ₹3,000 crore by 2028 and ₹5,000 crore by 2030.

Awards and honours received by KS&DL

- Nadaprabhu Kempegowda International Award 2025 from the state government for KS&DL's remarkable achievements
- Best CEO 2025 Award from IIMM
- Excellence in CSR 2025 Award from the Directorial Advisors Consortium (DAC)
- Best Emerging State PSU 2025 Award by News18 Network



Ms. Tamannaah Bhatia, a leading name in the Indian film industry with a strong pan-India presence and over 3 crore social media followers, has been appointed as the brand ambassador of Mysore Sandal Soap.

A big thank you to all the workers, unions, staff, officers, General Manager - Administration, General Manager - Finance, for their valuable contributions to this stupendous achievement of the organisation.

As enshrined in our Constitution - to safeguard public property and to abjure violence is the fundamental duty of every citizen of India.

Dr. S. Selvakumar, IAS, Principal Secretary
Department of Industries & Commerce

Dr. Prashaanth P.K.M., IFS, Managing Director
Karnataka Soaps & Detergents Ltd.